

1333, the “NO BAN Act”, under a closed rule. The rule provides one hour of general debate equally divided and controlled by the chair and ranking minority member of the Committee on the Judiciary or their designees. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of the bill. The rule provides that the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Judiciary now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted and the bill, as amended, shall be considered as read. The rule waives all points of order against provisions in the bill, as amended. The rule provides one motion to recommit. The rule provides that House Resolution 316 is hereby adopted. The rule provides that House Resolution 188, agreed to March 8, 2021, is amended: in section 11, by striking “April 22, 2021” and inserting “May 20, 2021”; in section 16, by striking “calendar day of April 22, 2021” and inserting “legislative day of May 20, 2021”; and in section 17, by striking “April 22, 2021” and inserting “May 20, 2021”. The rule provides that at any time through the legislative day of Thursday, April 22, 2021, the Speaker may entertain motions offered by the Majority Leader or a designee that the House suspend the rules with respect to multiple measures that were the object of motions to suspend the rules on the legislative days of April 19 or 20, 2021, and on which the yeas and nays were ordered and further proceedings postponed. The Chair shall put the question on any such motion without debate or intervening motion, and the ordering of the yeas and nays on postponed motions to suspend the rules with respect to such measures is vacated. The rule provides that House Concurrent Resolution 30 is hereby adopted. The rule provides that for purposes of the joint session to receive the President of the United States on April 28, 2021, former Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners shall not be admitted to the Hall of the House or rooms leading thereto. Testimony was heard from Chairman Lofgren, and Representatives Norton, Comer, McClintock, Griffith, and Sessions.

#### UPDATE ON SBA'S PANDEMIC RESPONSE PROGRAMS

*Committee on Small Business:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Update on SBA’s Pandemic Response Programs”. Testimony was heard from William Shear, Director, Financial Markets and Community Investment, Government Accountability Office; and Hannibal Ware, Inspector General, U.S. Small Business Administration.

#### MAKING THE CASE FOR CLIMATE ACTION: CREATING NEW JOBS AND CATALYZING ECONOMIC GROWTH

*Select Committee on the Climate Crisis:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Making the Case for Climate Action: Creating New Jobs and Catalyzing Economic Growth”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

#### Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

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#### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 2021

*(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)*

##### Senate

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates and justification for fiscal year 2022 for the Capitol Police, Architect of the Capitol, and Senate Sergeant at Arms, 2 p.m., SD–192.

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to hold hearings to examine science and technology, technology maturation, and technology transition activities, 2:30 p.m., SR–222.

Subcommittee on Personnel, to hold hearings to examine the current and future cyber workforce of the Department of Defense and the military services, 2:30 p.m., SR–232A.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings to examine the nominations of Bill Nelson, of Florida, to be Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Lina M. Khan, of New York, to be a Federal Trade Commissioner, and Leslie B. Kiernan, of Maryland, to be General Counsel of the Department of Commerce, 10 a.m., SR–253.

Subcommittee on Aviation Safety, Operations, and Innovation, to hold hearings to examine America’s safe return to air travel, 2:30 p.m., SR–253.

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* business meeting to consider S. 413, to establish the China Censorship Monitor and Action Group, S. 814, to promote security partnership with Ukraine, and an original bill entitled, “Strategic Competition Act of 2021”, 10 a.m., SD–106.

Subcommittee on Near East, South Asia, Central Asia, and Counterterrorism, to hold hearings to examine U.S. policy on Yemen, 2 p.m., SD–106.

*Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions:* business meeting to consider the nominations of Julie A. Su, of California, to be Deputy Secretary of Labor, Cynthia Minette Marten, of California, to be Deputy Secretary, and James Richard Kvaal, of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary, both of the Department of Education, and other pending calendar business, Time to be announced, Room to be announced.

*Committee on Judiciary:* Subcommittee on Intellectual Property, to hold hearings to examine improving access

and inclusivity in the patent system, focusing on unleashing America's economic engine, 10 a.m., SD–226.

Subcommittee on Competition Policy, Antitrust, and Consumer Rights, to hold hearings to examine competition in app stores, focusing on antitrust, 2:30 p.m., SD–226.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship*: to hold hearings to examine the nomination of Dilawar Syed, of California, to be Deputy Administrator of the Small Business Administration, 2:30 p.m., SR–301.

*Select Committee on Intelligence*: to receive a closed briefing on certain intelligence matters, 2 p.m., SVC–217.

## House

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies, hearing entitled “Oversight of the Economic Development Administration's Role in Pandemic Response”, 10 a.m., Webex.

Subcommittee on Defense, budget hearing on U.S. Africa Command, 10 a.m., 2212 Rayburn. This hearing is closed.

Subcommittee on Interior, Environment, and Related Agencies, budget hearing on the Environmental Protection Agency, 10 a.m., Webex.

Subcommittee on Defense, budget hearing on U.S. Central Command, 2 p.m., 2212 Rayburn. This hearing is closed.

Subcommittee on Transportation, and Housing and Urban Development, and Related Agencies, budget hearing on the Department of Housing and Urban Development, 2 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Armed Services*, Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, hearing entitled “FY22 Strategic Forces Posture Hearing”, 4 p.m., 2118 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Energy and Commerce*, Subcommittee on Communications and Technology, hearing entitled “Leading the Wireless Future: Securing American Network Technology” 11:30 a.m., Webex.

*Committee on Financial Services*, Full Committee, continue markup on Views and Estimates of the Committee on Financial Services on Matters to be Set Forth in the Concurrent Resolution on the Budget for Fiscal Year 2022 Budget; A Resolution Establishing the Task Force on Artificial Intelligence in the Committee on Financial Services; A Resolution Establishing the Task Force on Financial Technology in the Committee on Financial Services; H.R. 1087, the “Shareholder Political Transparency Act”; H.R. 1187, the “ESG Disclosure Simplification Act”; H.R. 1277, the “Improving Corporate Governance Through Diversity Act”; H.R. 2123, the “Diversity and Inclusion Data Accountability and Transparency Act”; H.R. 2516, the “Promoting Diversity and Inclusion in Banking Act”; H.R. 2543, the “Federal Reserve Racial and Economic Equity Act”; H.R. 2547, the “Comprehensive Debt Collection Improvement Act”; and H.R. 2553, the “Real Estate Valuation Fairness and Improvement Act of 2021”, 12:30 p.m., 2128 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Foreign Affairs*, Subcommittee on the Middle East, North Africa, and Global Counterterrorism, hearing entitled “The Crisis in Yemen: Part 2”, 10 a.m., Webex.

Full Committee, markup on H.R. 1488, the “Global Electoral Exchange Act of 2021”; H.R. 1036, the “Bassam Barabandi Rewards for Justice Act”; H.R. 402, the “CROOK Act”; H.R. 2538, the “FENTANYL Results Act”; H. Res. 186, calling for the immediate release of Trevor Reed, a United States citizen who was unjustly found guilty and sentenced to nine years in a Russian prison; H.R. 2471, the “Haiti Development, Accountability, and Institutional Transparency Initiative Act”; H.R. 1228, the “Libya Stabilization Act”; H.R. 496, the “Ukraine Religious Freedom Support Act”; H.R. 826, the “Divided Families Reunification Act”; H. Res. 294, encouraging reunions of divided Korean-American families; H.R. 1155, the “Uyghur Forced Labor Prevention Act”; and H. Res. 317, condemning the ongoing genocide and crimes against humanity being committed against Uyghurs and members of other religious and ethnic minority groups by the People's Republic of China, 2 p.m., 2172 Rayburn and Webex.

*Committee on Homeland Security*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Oversight of the Department of Homeland Security's Office of Inspector General”, 2 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on House Administration*, Full Committee, continue hearing entitled “Oversight of the United States Capitol Police and Preparations for and Response to the Attack of January 6th”, 2 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Natural Resources*, Subcommittee for Indigenous Peoples of the United States, hearing entitled “Infrastructure in Indigenous Communities: Priorities for American Jobs Plan”, 10 a.m., Webex.

Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests, and Public Lands, hearing on H.R. 820, the “New Philadelphia National Historical Park Act”; H.R. 920, the “Brown v. Board of Education National Historic Site Expansion Act”; H.R. 2497, the “Amache National Historic Site Act”; and H.R. 2626, the “Pullman National Historical Park Act”, 1 p.m., Webex.

*Committee on Science, Space, and Technology*, Subcommittee on Environment, hearing entitled “Working Towards Climate Equity: The Case for a Federal Climate Service”, 11 a.m., Zoom.

*Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure*, Full Committee, markup on Fiscal Year 2022 Budget Views and Estimates of the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure, 10:30 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

Subcommittee on Water Resources and Environment, hearing entitled “Sustainable Wastewater Infrastructure: Measures to Promote Resiliency and Climate Adaptation and Mitigation”, 11 a.m., 2167 Rayburn and Zoom.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs*, Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations, hearing on H.R. 711, the “West Los Angeles VA Campus Improvement Act of 2021”; H.R. 1948, the “VA Employee Fairness Act of 2021”; H.R. 2082, the “VA Supply Chain Resiliency Act”; H.R. 2428, the “Strengthening Oversight for Veterans Act of 2021”; H.R. 2429, the “VA Police Improvement and Accountability Act”; legislation on Strengthening VA Whistleblower Protection Act of 2021; legislation on VA FOIA Reform Act of 2021; legislation on directing the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to make certain information

publicly available on one internet website of the Department of Veterans Affairs; legislation on Improving VA Accountability to Prevent Sexual Harassment and Discrimination Act of 2021; legislation on VA Beneficiary Debt Collection Improvement Act; legislation on VA Equal Employment Counseling Modernization Act; legislation on Strengthening VA Background Checks Act; legislation on directing the Secretary of Veterans Affairs to submit to Congress a plan for expending Coronavirus pandemic funding made available to the Department of

Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes; and legislation to amend title 38, United States Code, to make certain improvements to the Office of Accountability and Whistleblower Protection of the Department of Veterans Affairs, and for other purposes”, 10 a.m., Webex.

*Committee on Ways and Means*, Full Committee, hearing entitled “In Their Own Words: Paid Leave, Child Care, and an Economy that Failed Women”, 12 p.m., 1100 Longworth and Webex.

# Résumé of Congressional Activity

## SECOND SESSION OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTEENTH CONGRESS

The first table gives a comprehensive résumé of all legislative business transacted by the Senate and House.

The second table accounts for all nominations submitted to the Senate by the President for Senate confirmation.

### DATA ON LEGISLATIVE ACTIVITY

January 3, 2020 through January 3, 2021

	<i>Senate</i>	<i>House</i>	<i>Total</i>
Days in session .....	192	163	..
Time in session .....	963 hrs., 52'	565 hrs, 26'	..
Congressional Record:			
Pages of proceedings .....	8,017	9,184	..
Extensions of Remarks .....	..	1,224	..
Public bills enacted into law .....	88	91	..
Private bills enacted into law .....	..	..	..
Bills in conference .....	..	1	..
Measures passed, total .....	510	559	1,069
Senate bills .....	155	91	..
House bills .....	143	351	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	5	4	..
House joint resolutions .....	6	8	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	6	5	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	9	11	..
Simple resolutions .....	186	89	..
Measures reported, total .....	*196	324	520
Senate bills .....	160	3	..
House bills .....	25	289	..
Senate joint resolutions .....	..	..	..
House joint resolutions .....	..	1	..
Senate concurrent resolutions .....	..	..	..
House concurrent resolutions .....	..	2	..
Simple resolutions .....	11	29	..
Special reports .....	6	32	..
Conference reports .....	1	1	..
Measures pending on calendar .....	401	145	..
Measures introduced, total .....	2,325	4,108	6,433
Bills .....	1,938	3,535	..
Joint resolutions .....	20	29	..
Concurrent resolutions .....	21	46	..
Simple resolutions .....	346	498	..
Quorum calls .....	5	1	..
Yea-and-nay votes .....	292	218	..
Recorded votes .....	..	34	..
Bills vetoed .....	2	2	..
Veto overridden .....	1	1	..

### DISPOSITION OF EXECUTIVE NOMINATIONS

January 3, 2020 through January 3, 2021

Civilian nominees, totaling 373 (including 87 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	172
Unconfirmed .....	0
Withdrawn .....	19
Returned to White House .....	182
Other Civilian nominees, totaling 1,860 (including 1 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	1,857
Returned to White House .....	3
Air Force nominees, totaling 5,669, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	5,654
Returned to White House .....	15
Army nominees, totaling 6,389 (including 3 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	6,381
Withdrawn .....	2
Returned to White House .....	6
Navy nominees, totaling 4,682 (including 2 nominees carried over from the First Session), disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	4,680
Returned to White House .....	2
Marine Corps nominees, totaling 2,258, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	2,157
Returned to White House .....	101
Space Force nominees, totaling 716, disposed of as follows:	
Confirmed .....	716
<i>Summary</i>	
Total nominees carried over from the First Session .....	93
Total nominees received this Session .....	21,854
Total confirmed .....	21,617
Total unconfirmed .....	0
Total withdrawn .....	21
Total returned to the White House .....	309

\*These figures include all measures reported, even if there was no accompanying report. A total of 147 written reports have been filed in the Senate, 357 reports have been filed in the House.